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In The Specification

Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 1, between lines 2 and 3, insert --- 1. **Field of the Invention** ---.

On page 1, between lines 7 and 8, insert --- 2. **Discussion of the Background Art** ---.

On page 3, between lines 11 and 12, insert --- **SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION** ---.

On page 4, between lines 29 and 30, insert --- **BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS** ---.

On page 6, between lines 15 and 16, insert --- **DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENT** ---.

In The Abstract

Please amend the abstract as follows:

Abstract of the Disclosure

~~An~~ Optoelectronic Device

~~The present invention relates to an~~ An optical device having a housing for one or more optoelectronic components, for example a semiconductor laser transmitter or a photodiode. The optoelectronic device ~~(30)~~, comprises an open-ended metal canister ~~(36)~~, an insulating substrate ~~(34)~~, at least one optoelectronic component